

TIPS:

HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM PAYMENT PROGRAM (HIPP)

The **HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM PAYMENT PROGRAM** helps pay the cost of private health insurance for individuals and families who get MassHealth Standard or CommonHealth when it is found to be cost effective.

Note: SSI recipients and children covered by the MassHealth Kaileigh Mulligan Home Care For Disabled Children Program receive MassHealth Standard.

Participation in the HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM PAYMENT PROGRAM will not affect your MassHealth Benefits

- ☐ If you lose your MassHealth coverage, the HIPP Program will pay for your private health insurance for up to six more months.
- ☐ Most importantly, a family plan bought through the HIPP Program may cover members of your family who are not covered by MassHealth.

You might qualify:

- ⇒ If you or your spouse qualify for health insurance where you work or
- ⇒ If you or your spouse qualify for COBRA benefits through a former employer or
- ⇒ If you or your spouse can access health insurance through another organization or group

TO APPLY CALL:

THE DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
THE HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM PAYMENT PROGRAM
1-800-462-1120

If you have any questions call:

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH at **1-800-882-1435 • TTY: 617-624-5992**
and ask for the CARE COORDINATION PROGRAM in your Region.